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This paper is a request for a continuation under 37 CFR §1.53(d) of:

Applicant: Michaud et al.

Title: ASSIGNING A HOT SPOT IN AN ELECTRONIC ARTWORK

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Prior U.S. application no: 09/058,496

Filing Date: April 10, 1998

The prior application was complete as defined by 37 CFR §1.51(b), or was a national stage of an international application filed in compliance with 35 USC §371.

This request for a CPA is the reference to the prior application noted above as required by 35 USC §120. Kindly abandon the prior application in favor of the continued proceedings that are requested herein.

The prior application is assigned of record to Adobe Systems Incorporated, a Delaware corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on June 16, 1998 at 9273/0518.

Enclosures:

- Preliminary amendment, 2 pages.
- Request for one month extension of time (1 pg.) and fee of \$110.00.
- Postcard.

The entire disclosure of the prior application is part of this application and is incorporated by reference.

Basic filing fee	\$710
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Independent claims in excess of 3 times \$80	\$0
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